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# FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

**Precedence:** ROUTINE

**Date:** 02/07/1996

**To:** SAC DIVISION II

**From:** SA [redacted]

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**Approved By:** [redacted]

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**Drafted By:** [redacted]

**File Number(s):** 9A-NY-NEW (Pending)

**Title:** UNSUB;

[redacted] VICTIM  
EXTORTION-THREATENING COMMUNICATION  
OO:NY

**Synopsis:** Recommend that a case be opened, captioned as above and assigned to the writer.

**Details:** On 2/6/96, the owner of the VILLAGE VOICE contacted the New York Office and reported that the office had been the victim of a bomb threat by mail.

The letter, addressed to Mr. [redacted] of the VILLAGE VOICE, was received via the U.S. mail at the office located at 36 Cooper Square, New York, NY. [redacted] the above address appear on the masthead of the VILLAGE VOICE. The letter was forwarded via intra-office mail to the VILLAGE VOICE office at 667 Madison Ave., where it was opened by [redacted] immediately brought the letter to the attention of [redacted] who contacted the NYO.

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The letter contains threats to kill [redacted] to place bombs at the VILLAGE VOICE offices and to mail letter bombs to the VILLAGE VOICE. The letter also contains numerous anti semitic statements. The letter is post marked 1/31/96 in New York, and bears the return address of the Italian-American Anti Defamation League, President Street, Brooklyn, NY. New York indices contain no references to the above organization. There is no telephone listing for this organization in 212 or 718 area code.

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SSA [initials]

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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: ADIC, New York (C-30) (P)

Date: May 23, 1997

FBI File No. 9A-NY-257447

Lab No. 60306071 D/L FT EW  
LC #M-2022

Reference: Communication dated February 26, 1996

Your No.

Re: UNSUB;  
[REDACTED] - VICTIM;  
THE VILLAGE VOICE - VICTIM;  
EXTORTION-THREATENING LETTERS

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Specimens received: March 6, 1996

Specimens:

Two envelopes, Q1 and Q3  
Letter, Q2  
Sheet of paper, Q4

The listed Q specimens are further described in a separate report.

The specimens were examined and six latent fingerprints of value were developed on Q2 and Q4.

The latent prints on Q2 were compared, insofar as comparable areas permit, with the latent prints on Q4, but no identification was effected.

Automated latent fingerprint searches were conducted but no identification was effected.

The specimens are enclosed.

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THE HARTZ MOUNTAIN CORPORATION  
400 PLAZA DRIVE, SECAUCUS, N.J. 07094-3688

[Redacted]

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[Redacted]  
Special Agent  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
26 Federal Plaza C30  
New York, New York 10278

Via: Messenger

PLEASE DO NOT REMOVE  
THIS SLIP FROM EXHIBIT  
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*PA**X***Universal File Case Number** 9 AMY 257447**Field Office Acquiring Evidence** \_\_\_\_\_**Serial # of Originating Document** \_\_\_\_\_**Date Received** 3/30/96**From** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of Contributor)

(Address of Contributor)

**By** \_\_\_\_\_  
(City and State)**By** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of Special Agent)b6  
b7C**To Be Returned**  Yes  No**Receipt Given**  Yes  No**Grand Jury Material - Disseminate Only Pursuant  
to Rule 6 (e), Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure** Yes  No**Title:** UNKR \_\_\_\_\_ vizPADO:NY**Reference:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Communication Enclosing Material)**Description:**  Original notes re interview of \_\_\_\_\_*HAT@MAIL REC BY* \_\_\_\_\_



THE VILLAGE VOICE  
36 COOPER SQUARE  
NEW YORK -  
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GREENWICH VILLAGE

# HARTZ®

THE HARTZ MOUNTAIN CORPORATION, 400 PLAZA DRIVE, SECAUCUS, NEW JERSEY 07094-3688 TEL. 201/271-4800

Via: Messenger

March 18, 1996

[Redacted]  
Special Agent  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
26 Federal Plaza  
New York, New York 10278

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Dear Mr. Meade:

Enclosed is an original piece of hate mail sent to [Redacted]

[Redacted]

Very truly yours,

LJM:ag

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Big nosed, Jew Bastard!

Only in this Socialistic Country can a Bastard like you get away with your evil toilet paper journal get away with what you are pedaling. No wonder Hitler cleaned some of your ilk out of this world. I always hated Harry Mt Crop - I read about your scandal with Harry Mt supplies. Every war has been over Jews but Christians have died for them. - while you Jew bastards run to Canada - Die a horrible death you son of an ugly Jew bitch. Why are all Jews, ugly and smell very badly - You & Niggers.

An Italian Beauty.

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(Address of Contributor)

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(City and State)

By \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of Special Agent)

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Receipt Given  Yes  No

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to Rule 6 (e), Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure

Yes  No

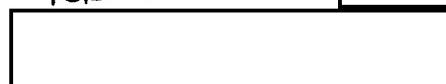
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Title: VILLAGE VOICE - VICT  
BATHURST  
OO:NY

Reference: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Communication Enclosing Material)

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Description:  Original notes re interview of

RESULTS OF \_\_\_\_\_



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Field Office Acquiring Evidence NY

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(Name of Contributor)

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(Address of Contributor)

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(City and State)  
By                     
(Name of Special Agent)

To Be Returned  Yes  No

Receipt Given  Yes  No

Grand Jury Material - Disseminate Only Pursuant to Rule 6 (e)

Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure

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VILLAGE VOICE - VICTIM  
EXTORTION  
DDNY

Reference: See ✓ 111  
(Communication Enclosing Material)

Description:  Original notes re interview of

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Caution: The  
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indicate that it  
been opened.

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lease liner on flap.  
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e envelope.

ORIGINAL LETTERS

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60306071



Q3  
TRG

Transmitter Training Now Under Way

perhaps will be  
perceived at very  
long range.

Very bright - in the morning & in the evening it is  
detectable.

Very white & somewhat  
yellowish.

St. Louis Anti-Department Legion  
West End Street

Brooklyn  
N.Y.

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# FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

**Precedence:** ROUTINE

**Date:** 02/26/1996

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**To:** DIRECTOR, FBI                   **Attn:** LAB DIV/ECC

**From:** ADIC, NEW YORK

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**Contact:** SA [redacted]

**Approved By:** [redacted]

**Drafted By:** [redacted] rm

**File Number(s):** 9A-NY-257447 (Pending)

**Title:** UNSUB;  
LEONARD STERN-VICTIM;  
THE VILLAGE VOICE-VICTIM;  
EXTORTION-THREATENING LETTERS  
OO:NY

**Synopsis:** Request for latent print exam.

**Enclosures:** Enclosed for the lab are the following

A) Legal sized envelope postmarked New York, NY,  
01/31/96, addressed to Attn: [redacted] The Village Voice, 36  
Cooper Square, N.Y. N.Y. 10003.

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B) One sheet of white notebook paper with blue lines  
and blue ink writing, beginning "Hey you dirty filthy, devious  
Jew Animal".

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C) One legal sizes envelope postmarked North Jersey,  
NJ, 9 FEB 1996, addressed to Hartz Mountain, [redacted] 400  
Plaza Dr. Secaucus, NJ 07094.

D) One sheet of white bond paper with the letterhead  
Charles Grillo Real Estate Management with blue ink writing  
begining Dear Mr [redacted]

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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION**

To: DIRECTOR, FBI From: ADIC, NEW YORK  
Re: 9A-NY-0000000, 02/12/1996

**Details:** [REDACTED] Hartz Mountain and The Village Voice, contacted the NYO when he received the enclosed threatening letters. Additionally, the Village Voice has received telephone bomb threats on 2/6/96 and 2/23/96.

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**LEADS:**

**Set Lead 1:**

REQUEST OF THE BUREAU

At Laboratory Division/ Latent fingerprint Section

1. Examine the enclosed items for latent fingerprints.
2. Compare the items for identical prints.
3. Retain any latent prints developed on the enclosed evidence for comparison with prints to be submitted by New York, should a subject be identified.

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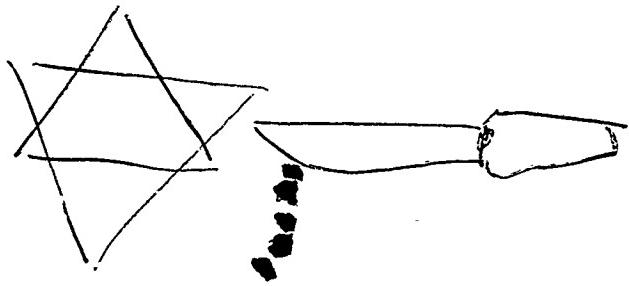
Hey you dirty filthy, devious Jew  
Animal. You form a race of physical abominations.  
We have conceived a very viable plan  
to enter your filthy Jew building and place  
a small but very powerful powerful  
bomb. We expect to place this small  
but powerful explosive as close as possible  
to your office. This will be effected  
in the near future. If perchance you,  
subhuman Jew, are not in your office we  
will pursue the agenda to at least put  
you in a wheelchair form permanently.  
We will never give up on this effort.  
You desisted Jews. No notification will be  
made as to when this bomb will be  
set off.

- see back - subhuman Jew -

Jews - The ~~most~~ despised living objects  
in the history of Mankind.

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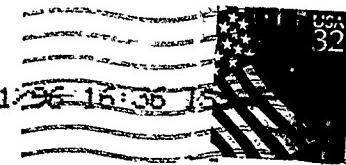
I called up a slimy Jew ~~to~~ with the  
~~same as yours~~ name as yours on 35th st.  
It was a remote chance that it would be  
you. However I made that dirty Jew  
who answered the phone, sorry that he  
did. My ~~few~~ friends and I will  
periodically harass your vile kikes.



We hear that when you Jews go into  
water you pollute it. You kinky  
haired, thick lipped, hooked nose animals.  
You all belong in a zoo. You rats like  
non white semites.

Also beware - in the meantime of non ~~that~~ detectable  
letter bombs.

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att.

The Village Voice  
36 Cooper Square  
N.Y.N.Y.-10003

Italian Anti-Defamation League  
President Street,  
Brooklyn,  
N.Y.



WESTFIELD, NEW JERSEY 07090  
(201) 654-3717

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Hantz Mountain

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400 Plaza Dr.

Secaucus NJ 07094

Dear Mr. [redacted] -

Not only will I never buy  
a Hantz Mountain product again but  
the Village Voice is forever "verboten"  
in my home.

Your prejudice against Italian/  
Americans is obvious so I'm  
sure you no longer want the  
money from a greasy wop such as  
I.

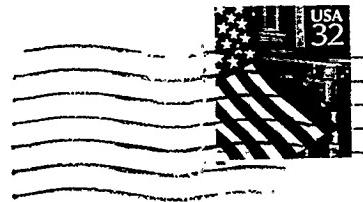
May you live a very short life.

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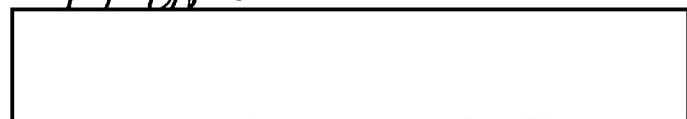


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Seaway City, NJ 07096

VILLAGE VOICE

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In recognition of his tasteless remarks directed at gays, blacks and Hispanics, and Assembly Speaker Sheldon Silver, State Senate majority leader Joseph Bruno takes home this year's **What Else Would You Expect From a Greasy Wop?** award. In one broadside, the powerful Republican derided Silver's aggressive style as "Lower East Side gutter politics"—Upstate shorthand for "dirty Jew."

On another occasion, Bruno moved to strip domestic partnership health care coverage for Senate workers, saying the state should not subsidize "abnormal" gay lifestyles. Railing against welfare programs earlier this year, the Brunswick basher noted, "It's the blacks, the Hispanics . . . that got their hands out. They are the ones fighting for welfare."

For his efforts, the Wacko committee is sending Bruno a first edition of *The Turner Diaries* for his reading pleasure. Honorable mention in this category goes to Al D'Amato for his

stirring imitation of Judge Lance Ito, though the Republican pol lost points for his Senate apology. —BASTONE

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## RUNNIN' SCARED

### Wops, Guineas, and Dagos

*Bill Fugazy and the art  
of Ethnic Cleansing*

**W**hen it comes to fan mail, nothing tops the letter that once derided Runnin' as a "Mozzarella cheese-eating, self-hating goombah." The missive—which included other witty references to meatballs, olive oil, and such—was prompted by some story we wrote about a wiseguy. As we remember it (the handwritten note, sadly, has been misplaced), the writer promised



*The Scarlet Letter*

some type of boycott in retaliation for our sins against Italian Americans. In fact, it seems you cannot write a story these days that criticizes an Italian or mentions the M (five-letter word synonymous with mob, outfit, La Cosa Nostra, Black Hand, the office, etc.) without being accused of bigotry or threatened with financial ruin.

Heck, when we wrote a lengthy story in September 1993 about the M's continuing influence in New York, the *Voice* received a letter from the Washington-based National Italian American Foundation claiming we defamed 23 million Americans. The group pointed out that our "most blatant" transgression was the "accusation that the San Gennaro festival, one which spotlights the proud culture of the Italian American community, is 'brought to you by the mob.' What evidence do you have to support that assertion?"

More often than not, the man responsible for defending the country's downtrodden Italian community is WILLIAM FUGAZY, New York's self-appointed ethnic avenger. When he is not walking the beat, Fugazy, 71, works as a lobbyist, cultivating politicians, law enforcement officials, and gossip columnists alike.

The *Voice*'s WAYNE BARRETT, a non-Italian pal of this column, in 1993 reported extensively on Fugazy's tangled and tawdry business affairs, dealings that have apparently caught the attention of federal prosecutors. Last July, Barrett wrote that investigators had obtained extensive records from Fugazy's Madison Avenue office and had subpoenaed other records from businessman JOHN KLUGE, a longtime Fugazy foe.

The *Voice* stories exposed Fugazy as

a bankrupt filthfiend more so it came as no surprise last week when Fugazy finally tried to strike back. Pointing to an item in our annual Wacko awards, the Fugazy-led National Ethnic Coalition of Organizations (NECO) announced a boycott of Hartz Mountain, the pet-supply giant run by *Voice* owner LEONARD STERN.

The offending Wacko—the What Else Would You Expect From a Creasy Wop? award—went to State Senator JOSEPH BRUNO in recognition of a series of ugly slurs uttered by the upstate Republican against gays, blacks and Hispanics, and Assembly speaker SHELDON SILVER. Fugazy and NECO have yet to criticize Bruno's bashing. (In retrospect, the sarcastic "Creasy Wop" reference may have been a bit

harsh. Perhaps either "Dumb Dago" or "Graceless Guinea"—with their alliterative shine—would have sufficed.)

Post-gossip columnist NEAL TRAVIS breathlessly reported last Thursday on the economic havoc about to befall Hartz at the hands of Fugazy's supposed coalition of 220 ethnic groups, including the aforementioned National Italian American Foundation and the Anti-Defamation League (ADL). But spokesperson MYRNA SHINBAUM said the ADL was "unequivocally not a part of a coalition to boycott Hartz Mountain," though the group was "concerned" about the *Voice*'s "use of an ethnic slur."

As the *Voice* went to press Friday (due to Monday's MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. holiday), Fugazy operatives were busy trying to round up names for their boycott petition. Fugazy supporters include state attorney general DENNIS VACCA, Brooklyn District Attorney CHARLES HYNES, and state senator CATHERINE ABATE. To whose side Fugazy once rallied when the *Times*—correctly, it should be noted—identified his Manhattan pal's father as a member of the Lucchese organized crime family. Declining to join Fugazy's jihad was AL SHARPTON, usually not one to pass up a boycott of anything.

Contributor: William Basone  
Research: Marcus Wohlsen

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# COALITION OF ITALO-AMERICAN ASSOCIATIONS, INC.

February 23, 1996

[Redacted]  
Special Agent  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
26 Federal Plaza  
New York, New York 10278

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Dear Mr. [Redacted]

We have been advised by Mr. [Redacted] of Hartz Mountain that they received a threat from an outfit called the Italian Anti-Defamation League.

Mr. [Redacted] indicated that this organization was perhaps associated with us. We do not know this organization, and it's quite apparent that it is a fraudulent letter, as what organization would threaten to bomb someone using their real name?

We would welcome any inquiry the FBI would like to make concerning this, and we wholly and completely disavow any organization that threatens violence, no matter what the cause may be.

Sincerely yours,

[Redacted]  
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WDF:dr  
Enclosures

cc: [Redacted]

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An Information Conduit to 180 Italian-American Organizations  
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Any information you  
may be able to help with on  
both the threat to me personally  
and the ~~base~~ evacuation at the  
Vocie would be appreciated.

*[Signature]*

Federal Bureau of Investigation

[Redacted]  
Special Agent

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26 Federal Plaza  
New York, NY 10278

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we have concocted a very viable plan.

to enter your filthy Jew building and place  
a small but very powerful powerful  
bomb. We expect to place this small  
but powerful explosive as close as possible

to your office. This will be effected

in the near future. If perchance you,

subhuman Jew, are not in your office we

will pursue the agenda to at least put  
you in a wheelchair form permanently.

We will never give up on this effort.

You despised Jew, no notification will be

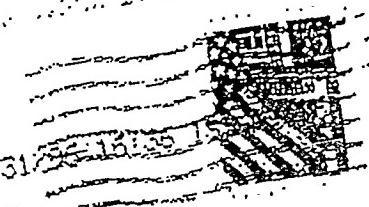
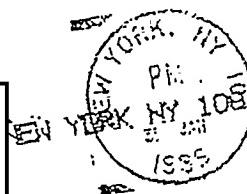
made as to when this bomb will be

set off.

- see back - subhuman Jew

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The George Voice  
36 Cooper Square  
N.Y.N.Y. 10003

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[redacted] was interviewed at her place of employment, the Village Voice, 36 Cooper Square, NY, NY. She then provided the following information:

On Friday 2/23/96 at about 2:00pm [redacted] was working the switchboard at the Voice. A call came in, she didn't notice the line. [redacted] didn't remember the exact words of the caller, but in summary the caller said: There's going to be an explosion at 4:00. No need to leave at 4:30. When the caller hung up [redacted] notified [redacted] said the caller sounded like an older man, he spoke slowly and clearly, and didn't have a recognizable accent. She said that he didn't sound like a typical New Yorker.

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At about 2:50pm that day another call was received by [redacted]. This caller sounded younger and talked faster than the first. He said "the guy who called before is crazy, the real bomb goes off Thursday at 2:00pm." She also reported this call to [redacted]

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Date of transcription

3/7/96

SA [redacted] gave the attached Subpoena for a [redacted] to the New York Office SO-6 front office for [redacted] was advised by SO-6 that the Subpoena was served on 2/27/96. The results of the Subpoena where received on 3/7/96. [redacted] [redacted] are placed in the 1-A section.

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## BILL FUGAZY RAISES HIS VOICE

What's behind Bill Fugazy's shrill assault on *The Village Voice*? More than Fugazy lets on, if some sources are to be believed. In the past month, the loopy limousine tycoon and his National Ethnic Coalition of



Bill Fugazy:  
Limousine conservative

NEW YORK MARCH 4, 1996

Organizations have mounted a vituperative campaign against the beleaguered weekly, accusing it of disseminating ethnic slurs. On Thursday, NECO and Fugazy are holding a press conference calling for a boycott of *Voice* owner Leonard Stern's Hartz Mountain—and, ludicrously, to announce the filing of a hate-crimes complaint against the weekly. Fugazy's attack was ostensibly prompted by an article on State Senator Joe Bruno, written by fellow Italian-American Bill Bastone, that awarded Bruno "The 'What-Would-You-Expect-From-a-Greasy-Wop' Award"—an intentionally crude, turn-the-tables satire of Bruno's perceived anti-black and anti-gay sentiments. Not surprisingly, *Voice* insiders speculate that Fugazy's counterattack may have more to do with his ego than with ethnic victimization. From 1993 to 1995, the *Voice*'s Wayne Barrett lambasted Fugazy in a series of articles pointing out his history of corruption and fraud while much of the New York press was touting him as a hero. The articles stemmed from a 1990 federal racketeering conviction for mail, wire, bankruptcy, and securities fraud, and called for further legal attention to

Fugazy's scams. As it happens, the NECO attorney leading the charge against the *Voice*, Dom Amorosa, is the very same one who represented Fugazy while he was being investigated for tax evasion by the U.S. Attorney's office in 1995—an investigation prompted in part by the *Voice* articles. Despite apologies by *Voice* president David Schneiderman, editor-in-chief Karen Durbin remains adamant. "I am disgusted," she says. "The *Voice* apologizes for nothing." Fugazy declined to comment.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
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To: ADIC, New York (C-30)

Date: 3/16/96

FBI File No. 9A-NY-257447

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Reference: Communication dated February 26, 1996

Your No. 9A-NY-257447

Re: UNSUB :  
[REDACTED]-VICTIM;  
THE VILLAGE VOICE-VICTIM;  
EXTORTION-THREATENING LETTERS

OO: New York

Specimens received: March 6, 1996

The FBI Laboratory has received the evidence which you sent for examination. The case has been assigned to Examiner [REDACTED] who may be contacted at [REDACTED] or through his/her supervisor at [REDACTED]. Please notify the Examiner immediately if any changes occur in the status of this case, such as court deadlines, dismissal of charges, guilty pleas, or other special circumstances.

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In order to alert Laboratory Division personnel to the presence of potentially infectious human biological material, the Occupational Safety and Health Administration's Bloodborne Pathogen Standard must be followed. This standard\* requires that biohazard warning labels be affixed to any container which may contain human blood or other human biological material. Additionally, please notify the FBI Laboratory immediately should any information be developed which indicates that the suspect(s) or victim(s) are known to be infected with the Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) or the Hepatitis B virus.

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**Precedence:** ROUTINE

**Date:** 03/12/1996

**To:** SAC DIVISION II

**From:** SA [redacted]

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Contact: SA [redacted] 

**Approved By:** [redacted]

**Drafted By:** [redacted] rm

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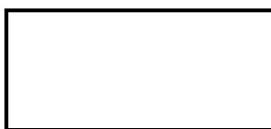
**Title:** UNSUB:

[redacted] VICTIM  
THE VILLAGE VOICE-VICTIM  
EXTORTION-THREATENING LETTERS  
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**Synopsis:** Request for payment from case funds of attached bill .

**Details:** [redacted] and The Village Voice, which [redacted]  
have recently been the victims of bomb threats by US MAIL and by  
telephone.

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Precedence: ROUTINE

Date: 03/12/1997

To: New York

Attn: SAC II

From: New York  
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Approved By: [redacted]

Drafted By: [redacted] rm

Case ID #: 9A-NY-257447 (Pending)

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[redacted] VICTIM;  
EXTORTION-THREATENING LETTERS  
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Synopsis: Recommendation to close case.

Details: It is recommended that the above captioned case be closed, as all logical leads have been exhausted. There have been no further threats to [redacted] or to the Village Voice.

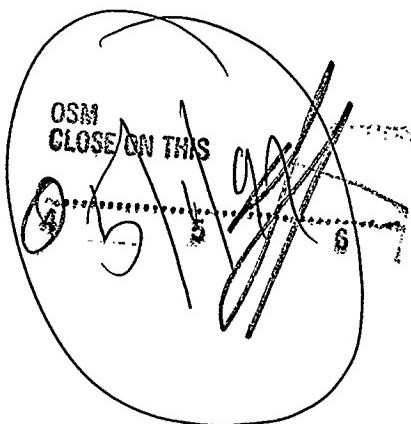
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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION**

To: SAC DIVISION II From: SA [redacted]  
Re: 9A-NY-NEW, 02/07/1996

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On 2/6/96 the VILLAGE VOICE received a telephonic bomb threat, that caused the offices at 36 Cooper St. to be evacuated. The New York City Police Department Bomb Squad Responded, but no bomb was found. The NYPD has opened a case on this telephone threat, with [redacted] 9th Precinct, assigned. The writer will maintain contact with [redacted] throughout the investigation.

Also on 2/6/96 the writer spoke to [redacted] the Hartz Mt group, the company that owns the VILLAGE VOICE. [redacted] said that he did not believe that anyone at the VILLAGE VOICE was in imminent danger. The VILLAGE VOICE does not X-ray any mail, and [redacted] declined the writers offer to provide information on detection of mail bombs.

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On 2/7/96 the writer received the threat letter from [redacted]. The letter will be sent to the lab for latent fingerprint and handwriting examination. A prosecutive opinion from the US Attorneys Office, Southern District of New York, is forthcoming.